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STRANGE MIXTURES

There are some strange and peculiar ingredients being thrown into the political pot these days, and what the mixture that finally comes out of it will be, no man, with certainty, can tell.

And more strange things will go into the cauldron when Congress meets next month. However, from all indications, the potions designed for the pot will be extremely mild, in contrast to penal legislation enacted at the previous session. There is a reason for this. The election of 1936 marks the advent of election year, and parties in power are always chary when it comes to passing laws that will arouse sentiment against them or alienate any of their following. If Congress can be held in check its meeting will prove to be of the innocuous variety. But campaign years are the time when Congressmen are looking after their own political futures and are not so much concerned as to what happens to the president.

VEXATIOUS PROBLEMS

Despite all attempts to keep the lid on, there are a couple of questions that will spell grief for many of our solons—the bonus and the Townsend pension plan. All indications point to the passage of a modified bonus bill and its approval by the president. Whether the veterans will be satisfied is another and more important question, viewed from a political angle. Any half-measure, offered as a sop, will fail to pacify or appease them.

Equally if not more potential in its possibilities for political disaster is the Townsend bill. The Democrats have already announced.

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Divorce Decree Paves Way For Two Marriages

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27.—Dissolution of a marriage yesterday afternoon by Superior Judge A. F. Bray today had paved the way for two weddings.

Immediately after Mrs. Nellie Clara Hay, 47, 722 Sixteenth street, Richmond, secured a final decree of divorce from Moses Trader Jack Hay, 47, they made their way to the county clerk's office with prospective new mates to file applications for marriage licenses.

Hay is to wed Cora Pearl Price, 42, of Richmond and Mrs. Hay is to become the bride of Kenneth G. Francisco, 35, also of Richmond.

New Trial Given In Damage Case

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27.—A new trial in the \$7,413.91 automobile collision injury action filed by Norman Hall of Martinez, and his wife, Marie Hall, against the Associated Oil company and John Cassidy was granted by Superior Judge A. F. Bray today.

Judge Bray granted retrial of the action on the grounds that new evidence had been discovered. A jury on October 24 of this year gave judgment in favor of the defendants, denying damages to Hall and his wife.

Their action, filed through attorneys A. B. Tinning and T. H. DeLap of Martinez, charges that in a mishap on the Ice House road, near Pittsburg, on January 27, 1935, Mrs. Hall was seriously injured. She suffered a fractured right arm, two broken ribs, contracted lobar pneumonia and suffered other injuries, it was asserted.

SCHALL'S SUCCESSOR

ST. PAUL, Dec. 27.—Governor Floyd B. Olson today announced the appointment of Elmer A. Benson, State Banking Commissioner, as United States Senator to succeed Thomas D. Schall, who died Sunday as a result of injuries suffered when he was struck by an automobile.

THE WEATHER

BAY REGION—Cloudy today; becoming unsettled and followed by rain tonight and tomorrow; normal temperatures; moderate to fresh south winds.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA—Cloudy today; becoming unsettled and followed by rain tonight; Sunday cloudy, rain north and west portions; snow over high mountains.

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WAR AID TO BRITISH IS ASSURED

ITALIANS IN RETREAT AS AFRICA'S HIT

LONDON, Dec. 27.—UP—England tonight had received official replies from France, Turkey, Yugoslavia and Greece pledging assistance in case of an unprovoked attack by Italy. Informal assurance has been received from several others.

It is understood that the four nations promised air as well as naval co-operation with Britain. It was emphasized in authoritative quarters that the moves have nothing to do with military sanctions, but merely concern reinsurance for the hypothetical contingency of Italian action against Britain as a sanctionist nation.

BELGIAN KING TO AID

LONDON, Saturday, Dec. 28.—UP—King Leopold of Belgium who landed at Dover yesterday for what was described as a private trip to England has come as an intermediary between Great Britain and Italy, the Daily Mirror reported today.

Leopold's visit was prompted by Italy's desire to have Britain urge League of Nations modifications of existing economic and military sanctions against Italy and definite abandonment of the threatened oil embargo against the fascist state, the newspaper said.

ADDIS ABABA, Dec. 27.—UP—Italy's life line communications with the Blackshirt Legions at Maki, on the northern front, have been choked off by Emperor Haile Selassie.

Forgotten Sons Successful In Breaking Will

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27.—Breaking the last will made by the late John T. Ferreira of San Ramon, a jury in Superior Judge Thomas D. Johnston's court today had given a verdict in favor of seven sons of the Danville pioneer. They filed a will contest in July.

The case had been on trial for 14 days, but the jury agreed upon its verdict in 20 minutes. Three questions were submitted to the jury: whether Ferreira was of sound mind at the time he made his last will, June 5, 1934; whether he was unduly influenced by two sons and two daughters who were willed the \$17,600 estate; and whether the last will was procured through fraud.

The jury found Ferreira was not of sound mind, that he was unduly influenced and the will was procured through fraud.

Ferreira, who died at the age of 82, on January 9, 1935, bequeathed only \$1 each to seven sons and one daughter, who filed the will contest.

In his last will he left the estate to be divided equally among two sons, Edward and Frank Ferreira, and two daughters, Palmeda Groom and Leodora Ellenberger.

Visitors Attend PWUU Meet Here

A delegation of visitors attended last night's meeting of the PWUU held at the WOW hall. Among the visitors were representatives of the American Federation of Labor and state officers of the Public Works Unemployed Union.

Routine business meeting was transacted under the direction of Lee Thompson, the vice president, who presided in the absence of Lee Mason, the president.

UNDER KNIFE

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27.—At the county hospital this morning Mrs. Cleo Harriman of Richmond and August Michelotti of Antioch were operated upon for major causes by Dr. Merrithew and Dr. Morken.

Promoted



CAPT. L. B. PORTERFIELD, USN, chief of staff of the 12th Naval District in San Francisco, who won approval from President Roosevelt recently for promotion to rear admiral.

Posse Seeks Slayer Of 3 In Mountains

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 28.—UP—William Henry Knight, 40-year old convict suspected of four slayings died tonight from a bullet wound received when he was captured by a posse under leadership of Assistant Chief of Police John Duggan.

Shot through the head by Duggan as he attempted to escape from the house of a former employer in which he had sought refuge, Knight died a few hours later at St. James hospital.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 27.—Authorities followed the broken trail of a 40-year-old desperado who had killed three mountaineers in the past two days through canyons and mountains.

New Head For U. C. Law School Named By Sprout

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—UP—Dr. Robert G. Sprout, president of the University of California, today announced appointment of Dr. Edwin D. Dickinson as dean of the university school of jurisprudence.

Dr. Dickinson, who came west two years ago from the University of Michigan, will succeed Dr. O. K. McMurray who is retiring from administrative duties, although planning to continue teaching.

Dickinson's appointment was approved at a meeting of the university board of regents here today.

Eureka Rancher Dies In Richmond

Funeral services are pending at the Wilson and Kratzer chapel for the late David Francis Rodriguez, 55, retired Eureka rancher, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mildred Deemer of 927 Seventh street.

Deceased was a native of Santa Cruz and had been ill for many months. He came to Richmond two weeks ago.

Besides the local resident, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Anna Eklund of Berkeley and the following brothers: Joseph, Henry, Herman, Leo and Ernest Rodriguez of San Francisco; Robert and Albert Rodriguez of Santa Cruz, and Ed Rodriguez of Boulder Creek.

CUTTEN BETTER

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Arthur W. Cutten, wealthy grain speculator, under treatment for a heart ailment, was reported "feeling much better" today by his physician, Dr. Arthur P. Byfield.

TODD CASE PROBE MAY BE CLOSED

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 27.—UP—The death of blonde Thelma Todd, sparkling film actress, tonight was ready to be filed away among the dusty records of the film colony's "unsolved mysteries" as grand jury investigators neared a dead end in their inquiry.

Dark-eyed, blond, Miss Todd's divorced husband and supposedly one of the "key witnesses" in the investigation, was hustled before the grand jury after a spectacular trans-nation plane dash.

NO INFORMATION

Fifteen minutes later he emerged, smiling cynically and walked off, while Foreman George Rochester admitted De Cicco had been "unable to give us any information which had any bearing on the case."

The failure of De Cicco to offer important testimony virtually threw the inquiry into the lap of Roland West, Miss Todd's middle-aged "angel." Unless West's testimony before the grand jury produces "tangible evidence" Deputy District Attorney George Johnson said the case will be closed.

DISCORD SEEN

Meanwhile, it was learned from a listing of discords were heard with.

Twelve Injured In Collision Of Truck And Auto

EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 27.—UP—Twelve persons were injured, several believed critically, late today when a truck and a sedan collided at the crest of a grade two miles south of Monroe.

The automobile, owned by H. H. Cartwright and Harold Peterson, farmers living nearby, and H. P. Staats, Elmhurst, driver of the truck, only one of the 13 persons in the collision who was uninjured, dragged victims from the flaming wreckage.

The sedan was driven by Walter Starr, Corvallis.

Mrs. Staats, her five children, Carl Lawson, and Mr. and Mrs. Starr were taken to a Eugene hospital.

Jeff, Alice and Peter Starr were taken to a Corvallis hospital. Head injuries and burns were suffered by most of the victims.

Sons Of Legion Will Attend Big Meeting In S. F.

A visit to the San Francisco area meeting on January 26 was discussed last evening when the Richmond Post of Sons of the American Legion held its meeting at Memorial hall.

A large number of candidates from the second area will be initiated during the San Francisco meeting, it was announced. There will be a program.

Carl Stender, sponsor of the local Sons, has asked every member planning to attend to get in touch with him at Richmond 3180.

Harold Johnson, the president, presided last evening.

Sentiment Against New Deal Growing

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—UP—Latest returns from the Literary Digest poll showed a further loss in popularity for the New Deal.

Out of 987,158 votes received, 577,631 answered negatively to the question, "Do you now approve the acts and policies of the Roosevelt New Deal to date?" This brought the negative percentage to 58.51 per cent. Last week's percentage was 57.69.

Circularizes Half Of Nation In McCord Hunt

SEVEN DEAD IN ACCIDENTS IN BAY AREA

By United Press
Seven persons lost their lives in Northern California Friday as the aftermath of traffic accidents, shipwreck and an explosion.

A blast in the chlorine section of the California Chemical Corporation plant at Newark, Alameda county, killed James H. Brodie, Hayward, and perhaps fatally injured William H. Horning, Centerville.

FISHERMAN DROWNED

Samuel Finnoch, fisherman, was drowned when a dory in which he and two other men were trying to reach shore from the trawler, San Domingo, overturned. The San Domingo, one of the newest sardine boats in the bay area, was wrecked during a heavy fog on the rocky shore of Marin county.

Louis Tarillo, San Jose, and Mrs. Louise Rodriguez, 50, Decoto, were killed in an automobile accident in San Jose. Machines driven by Tarillo and John Bonfante, San Martin crashed, police said. Bonfante was cited for operating without a driver's license.

IN AUTO CRASH

Edward Gilpey, 20, was fatally injured in San Francisco when an

U. C. Savant Is Hit By Disease During Research

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—UP—Seeking to discover the source of pinta, or "parrot fever," Dr. Karl F. Boyer, head of the Hooper Foundation of the University of California, himself contracted the dread disease, it was disclosed today.

Dr. Boyer began his experiment to determine the source of the disease and find a way to prevent its spread during an outbreak last October.

His illness was kept secret until today, when it was revealed he would be unable to attend a New York convention.

Artichoke Ban Not Reflected In S. F. Market

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—UP—The San Francisco produce market re-opening today after a two-day holiday, failed to reflect Mayor La Guardia's New York embargo on artichokes.

Shipments were only 800 boxes, about half the quantity expected. Lack of rainfall in coastal areas was blamed for the scarcity.

Prices ranged from \$2 to \$2.25 per box for small artichokes and from \$2.50 to \$2.85 for the larger varieties.

Lee Jackson of the Federal State crop service said the New York situation will be reflected locally later, perhaps by next week.

El Cerrito Home Looted By Yeggs

Two wrist watches and jewelry valued at \$150 were stolen from the residence of Y. Nabeta, 5912 Potrero avenue on Thursday night, according to reports made to El Cerrito police. A rear window was broken open and the house was ransacked.

Happier Days



THIS PICTURE of Thelma Todd, screen comedian, whose mysterious death is being investigated by Los Angeles police, shows her with her former husband, Paul Douglas, an artist's agent. De Cicco testified before the Los Angeles grand jury last night but was unable to throw any new light on the puzzling case.

Death Toll In Eastern Cold Wave Set At 200

BY UNITED PRESS

The holiday cold wave which, accompanied by a devastating blizzard, rained a toll of more than 200 dead throughout the nation, moved eastward Friday night and was centered in the Ohio river valley, its severity abated.

The Midwest and Northwest, which bore the brunt of frigid Christmas blasts from the Arctic, found temperatures moderating, but fog moving in to leave traffic still hazardous.

FLORIDA IS HIT

The cold struck with extraordinary severity in the Southwest. Jacksonville, Fla., experienced a reading of 21 above zero Friday and Tampa was below freezing by two degrees. Some reports of deaths were attributed to the cold in Dixie, with damage to citrus and other crops severe. Warmer weather was in sight, but with prospects of rain, snow or sleet.

Devil's Lake, N. D., as usual was the nation's coldest spot, but with an unexpected reading of only four above zero at 1 P. M., CST, compared with yesterday's extreme of 22 below.

EAST HAS COLD

Indiana, Eastern Illinois and Ohio still shivered and it remained cold along the Atlantic seaboard with mid-day temperatures of 26 degrees at New York, 23 at Boston, 25 at Washington, D. C., and 38 at Savannah, Ga.

Death and property damage continued in the blizzard's aftermath. The Northwest counted seven dead, four frozen in North Dakota during the most severe blizzard in four decades. At Mayville, Ky., 29 coal-filled barges were torn from a towboat Friday by grinding ice floes in the Ohio river and swept over a dam with loss estimated at \$175,000.

SHERIFF ON THE TRAIL OF FUGITIVE

Dissatisfied with results to late in the search for Mrs. Ruth McCord, 36, former director of the Contra Costa Co. Social Welfare Bureau, now a fugitive from justice, Sheriff John A. Miller has revealed plans to "blanket" half of the nation with circulars in an effort to pick up the trail of the indicted woman.

LEADS SLIP UP

"Twice we have had good leads as to the whereabouts of Mrs. McCord but each time there has been a slip-up at the other end," he sheriff declared.

ELUDES AUTHORITIES

"She definitely was located in Massachusetts several months ago but she eluded authorities despite the fact that we had furnished her address and the house was supposed to have been under surveillance," Sheriff Miller disclosed.

LETTER INTERCEPTED

A second time a letter believed to have been written by Mrs. McCord to a Martinez man was intercepted and New York state police were requested to check up on the other end. Handwriting experts (Continued on page 8)

Busiest Week In History Of P. O. Is Reported

The Richmond postoffice experienced one of the busiest weeks in history, L. J. Thomas, local postmaster, announced yesterday.

More Christmas mail was handled during the week and sales of stamps and money orders were larger than any previous week. Thirty-five extra postal employees were hired during the rush period, as compared to 20 during the week preceding Christmas last year.

Although Thomas has not had an opportunity to compile sales for the week, he believes that the total for the year probably will be around \$100,000, which will be the largest year's business of the local office. Last year's sales amounted to \$100,000.

Local Couples Soon Will Wed

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27.—Notices of intention to wed were filed by Richmond couples with the county clerk today as follows:

C. L. Aston, 21, of 137 Thirteenth street, Richmond, and Bernadette S. Phillips, 17, of 3623 Nevins avenue, Richmond.

Moses Trader Jack Hay, 47, and Cora Pearl Price, 42, both of 220 First street, Richmond.

Kenneth Graydon Francisco, 35, and Nellie Clara Hay, 47, both of 722 Sixteenth street, Richmond.

Former Richmond Resident Called

Funeral services will be held in Long Beach today for the late Chas. B. Desmond, retired Standard Oil employee who passed away at a Long Beach hospital on Thursday.

Desmond came here with the late Col. W. S. Rhome when the Standard Oil refinery was opened. He remained with the company until 1919 when he retired. Several years ago he went to Long Beach to live.

Deceased was 67 years of age and was born at Syracuse, N. Y. He was a member of the local lodge of Elks.

Wesley Choir To Repeat Cantata

The beautiful Christmas cantata, "That Glorious Song," by M. L. Fisher, which was rendered by a choir of forty voices, and supported by an orchestra of talented musicians, on Sunday evening last, will be repeated by the choir and orchestra at the evening service on Sunday at 7:30. This cantata is an entirely new one, having been published for the first time this year.

At the morning service at 11 o'clock, the pastor, the Rev. Hubert F. Doran, will preach on the subject, "A Watchword For The New Year," and special music will be rendered at this service.

The School of Christian Education meets at 9:45 A. M. and the young people's societies, the Epworth Leagues, at 6:30 P. M.

MOVEMENT RESTRICTED
BERLIN, Dec. 27.—(By the Jewish Telegraph Agency)—Only 100 German Jews will be permitted to emigrate to Palestine in 1936 with a capital of \$5,000 under the terms of the Palestine-German transfer agreement, it was announced today by the Reichsbank.

INSULL TO BE HEAD OF NEW RADIO CHAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—UP.—Samuel Insull, one-time monarch of utility billions, has started his comeback in the field of radio, it was learned tonight.

Backed by friends, he has organized or is about to organize a national broadcasting chain, probably to be known as the Affiliated Broadcasting Company.

REFUSES DENIAL

At his modest hotel apartment, to which he moved on his return from a self-imposed exile in Greece, the white-haired financier made a statement which, while non-committal, was in effect confirmation of the report.

"I won't deny it," he said, "I would be lying. And I would confirm it because matters are still in an embryonic stage."

SET UP OFFICE

The office of the new company, have been set up in the Opera building, which Insull in his heyday financed at a cost of \$29,000,000. They are on the 42nd floor, only two floors below the lavishly fitted Insull penthouse, now deserted.

It was reported that the chain has signed 15 stations, chiefly in Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and Wisconsin. Plans are to spread it to cover the nation. First broadcasts may be made in two weeks, it was said.

Financing has been handled by George Buffington, partner of Winthrop, Mitchell & Company, who explained he was working privately and no as a member of the firm. It was understood the organization had \$100,000 backing.

There has been no stock issue, Buffington said. He referred other questions to Insull.

MR. AND MRS. G. R. AXELSON and son Bob have arrived from El Paso, Texas, Axelson was transferred to the local refinery from Texas.

REV. O. A. AVERKAMP, pastor of Grace Lutheran church, is visiting friends and relatives in Los Angeles.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE— WITHOUT CALOMEL

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

If you feel sour and sunk and the world looks punk, don't swallow a lot of salts, laxative water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine.

For they can't do it. They only move the bowels and a mere movement doesn't get at the cause. The reason for your down-and-out feeling is your liver. It should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul, skin from breaks out in pimples. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

If taken three good, old CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS to get these two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." They contain wonderful, harmless, gentle vegetable extracts, amazing when it comes to making the bile flow freely. Just don't ask for liver pills. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills. Look for the name Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red label. Buy a substitute. See at drug stores. ©1931 C. M. Co.

To Manage Missions



WILLIE KAMM, former infielder with the Cleveland Indians, being signed up by Joe Bearwald, president of the Mission Reds, for the position of manager during the 1936 season. Kamm, who broke into baseball with the San Francisco Seals, succeeds Gabby Street.

El Cerrito News

HI-Y GIRLS ENJOY CHRISTMAS PARTY

The El Cerrito Hi-Y group enjoyed a Christmas party and surprise theater party at the Albany Community center on the evening of December 26. The theater party was a treat from the executive board. After the return of the party from the theater to the Community Center, refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed by everyone present.

On December 19 there was a joint meet at the Albany Hi-Y of the El Cerrito. Hi-Y girls and boys and the Albany boys and girls with a moving picture review of last year's camp activities following the business session, and dancing at the close of the evening.

The El Cerrito group of Hi-Y girls and boys, now being sponsored by the Harding Dad's Club will hold another of their popular dances and radio hours at Harding school auditorium. All friends are invited to attend.

MRS. WHITTAKER HOME FOR HOLIDAY SEASON

Mrs. Violet Whittaker who has been away at a sanatorium recuperating from ill health for some time arrived in El Cerrito this week to spend the holiday season with her family on Everett street.

PEREFOE FLY TO L. A. FOR OUTING

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Perefoe flew a friend's plane to Los Angeles for a Christmas outing. If at any time Vic is missed from the Quality Market his friends can be sure he has taken over the job of piloting the China Clipper, or some such plane. Vic is decidedly air-minded.

VACAVILLE VISITORS AT HOLLAR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McEathren of Vacaville spent Christmas with Mrs. McEathren's sister Mrs. James Richter, who was also hostess at dinner Christmas evening to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Nelson of Richmond.

AUXILIARY SEWS ON ROBES FOR VETERANS

A number of ladies of the Legion Auxiliary met at the home of the president, Mrs. John Dowdakin, yesterday to sew on lap robes for the disabled vets in the Lavermore sanatorium. Today Mrs. Dowdakin and Mrs. E. M. Gilbert, rehabilitation chairman, will accompany the Richmond unit to Lavermore on a visit to the vets stationed there.

THULINE ARE BACK FROM HOLIDAY TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Nephi Thulin and sons returned Thursday from Plymouth where they spent Christmas with Mrs. Thulin's brother.

RELATIVES GATHER AT FESTAL BOARD

Mrs. A. C. Renfree returned home Tuesday evening from the U. of C. hospital in San Francisco where she underwent an operation recently. On Christmas day her son, Ralph Renfree of Oakland, her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knutson of Albany and Mr. Knutson Sr., of Seattle made her happy by gathering at her home to enjoy a turkey dinner.

MRS. L. L. BASFORD and Mrs. W. J. TODD and children have returned from San Pedro where they visited their husbands, who are members of the crew of the Standard Oil tanker, District of Columbia.

URUGUAY AND YULE TRAGEDY SOVIETS BREAK IN ALASKA IS OFF RELATIONS TOLD BY MATE

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 27.—UP.—Uruguay today severed diplomatic relations with Soviet Russia and charged Moscow's agents here with active participation in the abortive Red-muscle uprising at Montevideo last month.

So far Minister Alberto Miran and his staff were handed there a copy of a representative of the Soviet government.

A official note also was about Miran's statement that Uruguay will break all diplomatic relations with the Soviet government and that the country will not recognize the Soviet Union.

BLAMED FOR REVOLT

The Uruguay note reported that Soviet agents in Montevideo were the cause of the abortive Red-muscle uprising there.

An official communiqué said the revolutionary movements in November 1934 in Rio de Janeiro and northern states of Brazil, which were crushed only after a bloody five-day struggle and considerable loss of life and property, were inspired by Moscow through its legation here. Such subversive activities, the communiqué said, left Uruguay no other alternative but to sever relations with the Soviet Union.

NOTE IS SENT

The communiqué related that the Brazilian foreign ministry had sent a note to this government protesting against the Russian legation's activities.

Montevideo long has been identified in South America as the center of Communist activities in Latin American republics.

Uruguay recognized the Soviet government in 1928. Not until May 3, 1934, however, did Miran arrive to open the legation.

NO EXPANSION SEEN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—UP.—Uruguay's break in diplomatic relations with Soviet Russia was considered by well informed authorities to close for the present the possibility of an expansion of Moscow's political influence in the western hemisphere.

Uruguay was the last Latin American republic to maintain formal diplomatic relations with the Soviet Union. South America as the center of Moscow's influence, as well as commercial contact, on the southern continent.

Rupture of these relations caused no surprise here, as Latin American diplomatic sources recently have reflected the opinion that Communism directed from Moscow would not gain much further political ground in the southern republics.

WPA Executives To Get Pay Cut

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—UP.—Salary reductions ranging from 10 to 15 per cent were ordered by Frank V. McLaughlin, State WPA director, today for 1000 administrative employees of the State Works Progress Administration. The administrator said the reduction, effective January 1, will save \$10,000 a month. McLaughlin said the cuts were being made primarily to conserve available relief funds.

POLITICS CHARGED

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—UP.—The executive committee of the Association of American Law Schools said today there were indications that "there is political interference with academic freedom and proper administration" at Louisiana State University. It recommended the association's "anxious solicitude" for the college of law be maintained after declaring a "pernicious influence had permeated the university before the death of the late Senator Huey P. Long, who liked to refer to L. S. U. as "my school."

IT'S SIMPLY INEXCUSABLE

You cannot expect to make friends socially or in business if you have halitosis (bad breath). Since you cannot detect it yourself, the one way of making sure you do not offend is to gargle often with Listerine. It instantly destroys odors, improves mouth hygiene and checks infection. Lambert Pharmacol Company, St. Louis, Missouri.

LISTERINE
ends halitosis
Kills 200,000,000 germs

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, Dec. 27.—UP.—The later story of a far north Christmas tragedy, in which his wife died from exposure, was related here tonight by William McHale, 65, who was in critical condition at a hospital.

The power came on in which the couple traveled, the Balm canal struck a duck at Christmas eve, crashed and sank.

Fighting their way through breakers, the McHales managed to swim ashore. No other all the clothing was torn from their bodies by the time they reached shore. Mrs. McHale, 40, was so exhausted and chilled that she could only mutter Christmas merriment in spite of her husband's efforts to calm her.

After he had rested, the aged McHale was able to swim out to where the boat was wrecked and recover it. He placed in it the body of his wife and rowed 17 miles to the cabin of Billy Johnson.

Johnson gave McHale emergency treatment, then rowed to Ketchikan for help. The Coast Guard cutter Cyane brought McHale here to the hospital.

LONG SNOW TRIP

WRANGELL, Alaska, Dec. 27.—UP.—Bud Simpson, trapper of the Sead river section, whose cabin burned December 6 arrived here today, after a painful wilderness trek that took him three weeks. Simpson traveled alternately on snowshoes and rafts. Part of the distance he forced his way through seven feet of snow.

Eastern Ship Is Tied Up By Strike

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—UP.—The freighter Whitwood, from New York, was tied up in San Francisco today by a demand of the crew that they be signed under West Coast articles.

Sailors striking over wages and working conditions for work done in port have tied up 37 coastal steam schooners, the Shipowners Association of the Pacific said announced today.

Love Grows Cold After Wife's Death

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—UP.—Eighteen-year old Josephine Gorden and James Hayden, 23, the two for whom Hayden's pretty wife committed suicide so they would be free to marry, won't be married after all, it developed today.

"I'm tired of him," said Josephine, "of course I won't marry him."

"He wasn't the only boy friend I had. He was just one of 'em." Hayden, meanwhile, had taken his 18-month-old baby girl to the home of his mother and was making plans for the funeral of his wife, Alice, who chose to die rather than stand in the way of his new love.

REV. AND MRS. C. MERVIL BISH

had as Christmas guests Mr. and Mrs. Billie Laurie who have returned from a tour of Japan.



Rev. I. N. Demy says: "I have found nothing in the past 20 years that can take the place of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They are a sure relief for my headache."

Sufferers from Headache, Neuralgia, Toothache, Backache, Sciatica, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, Muscular Pains, Periodic Pains, write that they have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills with better results than they had even hoped for.

Countless American housewives would no more think of keeping house without Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills than without flour or sugar. Keep a package in your medicine cabinet and save yourself needless suffering. At Drug Stores—25c and \$1.00

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS

TRY A CLASSIFIED IN THE RECORD-HERALD FOR RESULTS

Packs for Home



MRS. PEGGY PAULOS, co-defendant in the Erlend's Point murder trial, hurriedly packs her belongings, preparatory to quitting her cell in the Kitsap county jail after a jury verdict had freed her.

SUSPECT HELD IN MURDER OF RESORT OWNER

AUBURN, Dec. 27.—UP.—Charged with the murder of Lawrence C. Christensen, wealthy mountain resort owner, Lonnie Jones, alias Tony Jones, was in jail here tonight and will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice P. W. Smith tomorrow.

Confined early today in the cell of a friend, Art Perry, the accused, murderer was in such a state of physical exhaustion as a result of a two-day drinking bout and a wild flight through a blizzard that he was unable to answer the questions of authorities.

Jones is accused of shooting a killing Christensen as an aftermath of a gambling dispute in a saloon in the town of Sierra Nevada.

He was the object of an extensive search last night by a posse of Placer county officers and citizens who combed the snow-covered, rugged area surrounding the town throughout the night. Jones, with the 30-30 rifle allegedly used in the slaying.

Officers indicated they did not contemplate action against Perry for harboring Jones, inasmuch as he cooperated with authorities in promising to keep Jones in his cabin until they arrived.

Eye-witnesses to the alleged slaying said the shooting occurred after heated argument over a dice game at which there was \$40 at stake.

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HOW IT BEGAN By Paul E. Berdahl



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Clubs Lodges Society



STEGE WOMEN PROGRAM MEET ENJOYED HERE

With Mrs. Ethel Gundry, the president, presiding, the Stege Presbyterian Women's Society convened yesterday at the church parlors.

Mrs. C. Meryl Bish led the devotional and Mrs. Gundry sang, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. V. E. Skiles.

An amusing three act play was presented by Mrs. A. R. Linton, Mrs. Howard Gundry, Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Samuel Korb, Mrs. John Creeley, Mrs. Marjorie Hall, Mrs. Kirk, and Miss Dorothy Penneze taking part. Mrs. Billy Brown directed the play.

At conclusion of the program tea was served by Mrs. Ethel Gundry, Mrs. C. M. Bish, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. N. McGraw and Mrs. Ethel Kidwell.

BOYS' CLUB CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Under the successful leadership of John Duarte, and Coach Wilson Jocke, the San Pablo Boy's Club celebrated their first anniversary on December 19, 1935.

The first part of the evening was spent in the regular routine of the meeting with the exception of the election of new officers for the incoming year. New officers are as follows: president, Bud Briger; vice-president, Lawrence Hoblit; secretary, re-elected, Frank Vierra; treasurer, re-elected, Bill Dias; Keeper of the colors, Joe Vargas; Keeper of the Keys, Salvador Herrera.

The meeting was then adjourned and a supper was enjoyed by all. Speeches were given during the supper. Leader John Duarte gave a speech on the club's co-operation and sportsmanship during the past year.

President



ALBERT MEYER, veteran newspaperman and economist recently elected president of Switzerland for 1936. Meyer is known as the defender of the Swiss franc, a loyal follower of the theory that the gold standard is important for the lakes country.

LOCAL COUPLE ARE MARRIED AT OAKLAND

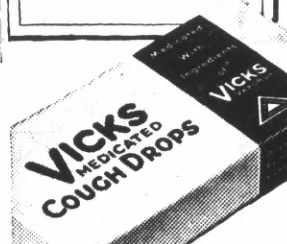
Low S. Sassone and his bride, the former Miss Charlotte R. Redfield, are now at home to their friends at 717 Ripley avenue, following their marriage Christmas eve at Oakland.

Miss Edith Sassone, sister of the bridegroom, attended the bride, while Walter Gatto was best man. A wedding supper was served at an Oakland hotel and the couple then came to Richmond.

Both Sassone and his bride have spent most of their lives in this city. Both graduated from the local high school.

Sassone is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sassone of 139 Fifteenth street and owns a local buffet. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Redfield, of 141 South Fifth street.

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BETROTHALS ANNOUNCED CHRISTMAS

MARTINEZ, Dec. 27. The holiday meant something more than the traditional Christmas celebration to two Contra Costa county employees, whose betrothals were announced informally to friends on Christmas day.

Miss Jeanne Le Gault, deputy in the office of the county superintendent of schools, today was receiving the congratulations of friends on her engagement to Albert Peterson. Both are residents of Richmond and both graduated from Richmond high school.

The other engagement, coming as pleasant news to her many acquaintances, is that of Miss Evelyn Casazza, secretary for Dr. Thomas Boyer, county probation officer, and Harry H. Kerlin.

Both weddings are planned for the summer. Miss Le Gault's in the early part of the season and Miss Casazza's in late summer.

Miss Le Gault is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Le Gault of Richmond. Proceeding her work in the county superintendent's office here, she was in the office at the Richmond high school.

Her fiancé is the son of James E. Peterson, also of Richmond, and is an employee of the Standard Oil company.

Miss Casazza is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Casazza of San Pablo and an alumna of Richmond high school. She has been in Dr. Boyer's office since 1933. An active worker in the Y. L. L., she is secretary of Richmond Institute.

Kerlin is associated with the American Creamery in Richmond, and at Oakland.

ACANTHA IS ENTERTAINED WITH PARTY

A white elephant party was enjoyed last evening by members of Acantha Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, following their business meeting.

Mrs. Zella Chapin presented a Dickens' Christmas play and community singing was enjoyed by the members. Later a delicious luncheon was served. Mrs. Eulabel Martenson headed the committee in charge.

Worthy Matron Evelyn Farlinger and Worthy Patron Clarence Grienseth presided over the business meeting. This was the first session held under the direction of the new officers.

A reception of the officers will be held at the next meeting. Lauri Kelley will be in charge.

C. C. TEMPLE ENDS BUSINESS FOR THE YEAR

Business for the year was completed last evening when the Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters held its meeting in the Brotherhood hall. Gertrude Smith presided.

Plans were made for installation of officers which will be held on the evening of January 10 at the hall.

On the committee for the evening will be Betty Bagnall, Lucille Deathe, Catherine Bender, Florence Tash and Evelyn Julliet.

The sewing club will hold its meeting on January 17 at the home of Evelyn Julliet for election of officers.

Following last night's meeting Mrs. Francis Michel and committee served refreshments.

ENCAMPMENT WILL INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Business matters were discussed last evening at a called special meeting of the Contra Costa Encampment of Odd Fellows, held at the IOOF hall.

Installation of officers will be held by the group on January 13. It was announced. The Encampment will join with the subordinate lodges to seat the officers.

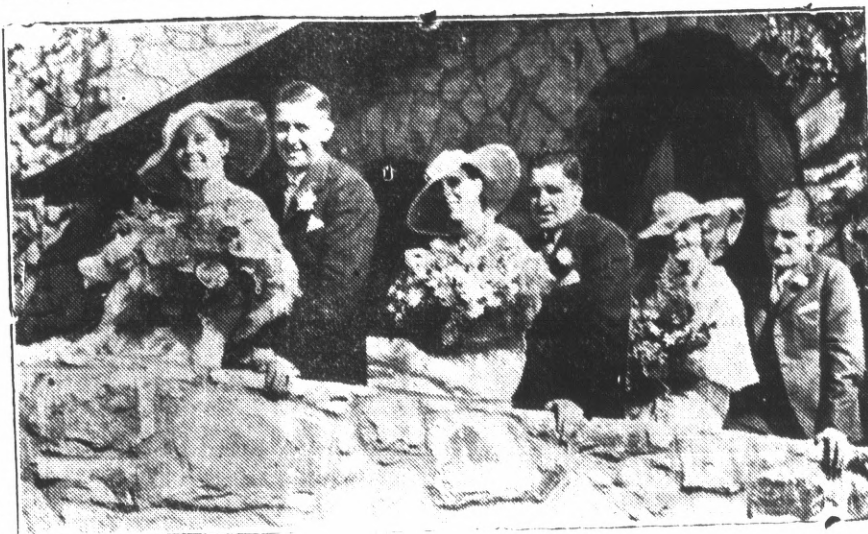
Gus Hartung presided over last night's meeting which was followed by a social.

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Long Trip To Altar



THREE GIRLS from Buffalo, N. Y., thought enough of their young men to travel all the way to Johannesburg, South Africa, to marry them. Here are the three couples after the ceremony. Left to right, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allan, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rennie. The husbands' jobs keep them in Africa.

In Huey's Honor



MRS. HUEY P. LONG, widow of the assassinated Senator, and her two sons, Russell, left, and Palmer Reid, right, as they attended the dedication in New Orleans of the colossal bridge across the Mississippi, named in honor of Louisiana's famous political figure.

GUSTAV VASA LODGE PLANS INSTALLATION

Richmond Lodge of Gustav Vasa last evening welcomed visitors from Oakland, Cloverdale and Oroville at a meeting held in the Memorial hall.

Mrs. Anna Jakobson, the vice president, presided in the absence of David Erickson, the president. Following the meeting a delicious Swedish dinner was served.

The lodge will install its officers on the evening of January 10 at Memorial hall. District Deputy Edvard Anderson will be in charge. There will be a program and banquet.

Widow Convicted Of Forging Will

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. UP—Red-headed Hazel Redford Glab, three-wed widow, tonight was convicted of forging the will of the late Albert L. Cheney, wealthy financier, who died in bed with Mrs. Glab in a Las Vegas, Nev., hotel.

The jury found both Mrs. Glab and her blonde companion, Mrs. Clara Steeger guilty of preparing false evidence. Mrs. Steeger was not found guilty of the forgery count.

Sentence will be set January 2.

Epics Smarting Under Rebuke By Sen. McAdoo

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. UP—California's EPIC political adherents, I flowers of Upton Sinclair's production for use faction, which controls the Democratic party in the State tonight were smarting from a verbal spanking administered by Senator William Gibson McAdoo.

McAdoo, Democratic Senator from California and a recognized leader of the party, told EPIC representatives to "quit rocking the boat and get behind the party and push to re-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt."

He warned that if the EPIC's per cent in demand for inclusion of a platform for use plank in the Democratic national platform, they will split the party.

Without specifically mentioning the Townsend old age pension faction, McAdoo also took in that situation, another California movement which threatens to become a national issue. "I favor sending a delegation to the Democratic convention pledged unconditionally to the renomination of Roosevelt," he said. "We haven't the right to send a delegation with strings attached."

Mrs. Glab's conviction followed a spectacular hearing on her efforts to have the Cheney will, supposed to be leaving her the bulk of his \$400,000 estate, admitted for probate.

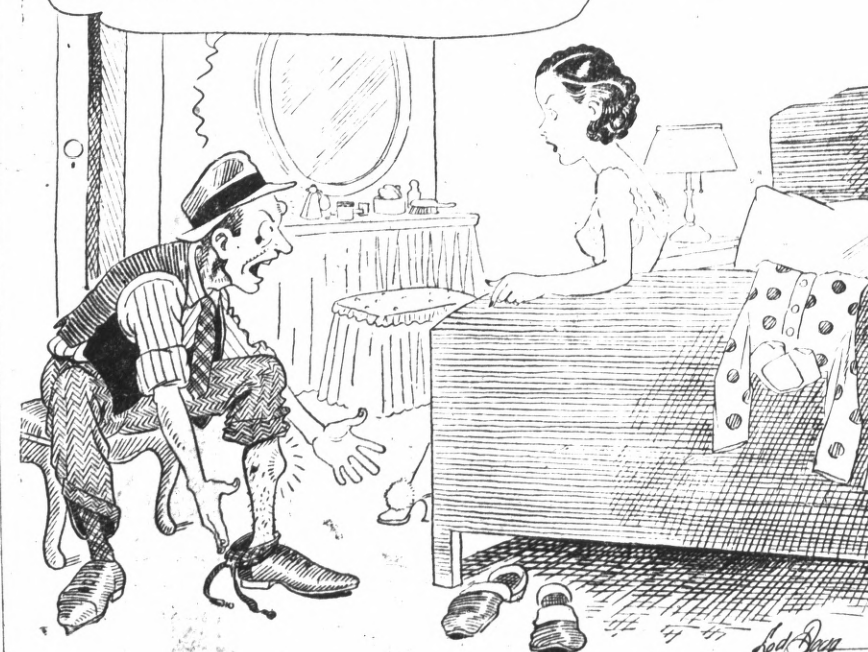
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Bourbons Will Make Drive To Register Voters

Plans to secure the registration of all Democrats were formulated at a meeting held in the office of Attorney Michael Dowling last evening.

The group was composed of the members of the county central committee of the first supervisorial district, eleven in number. All voters are required to register anew at the beginning of the new year in classes with a tax record in the local district's abatement process out registration, and the committee members will make it their business to see that all people of their own persuasion in this district and as many others of opposite political faith who will register Democratic are on the rolls for the 1936 election.

To facilitate the registration of voters, City Clerk A. C. Faris yesterday announced deputies for this duty as follows:

A. C. Faris, city hall, chief deputy.

E. W. Prousham, city hall.

Elizabeth P. Ghaziz, 28 Tunnel avenue.

James Kenny, 11 Washington avenue.

Carl Steinhil, 141 Nevada avenue.

W. J. Richards, Jr., 267 Tenth street.

Samuel L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell avenue.

M. J. Gordon, 321 Macdonald avenue.

E. S. Reed, Standard Oil company main office.

Dan Nozile, 509 Macdonald avenue.

Joseph Perinasso, 1329 Macdonald avenue.

LAVA FLOW IS BOMBED BY U.S. ARMY PLANES

HILO, T. I., Dec. 27.—UP—Five army planes today simultaneously bombed fiery lava flows threatening Hilo's water supply, the Waialua river.

Clouds of steam and smoke mushroomed skyward as the high explosive projectiles exploded with a terrific detonation.

The bombs were dropped at a point about five miles below the headwaters of the river. Creeping, fiery red streams of lava were but a few miles from the water course, and it was hoped the bombs would divert them.

Pilots circled over the bombed sector, trying to ascertain results. Overnight the ruddy flow of molten rock from the volcano Mauna Loa, in spectacular eruption since November 21, had progressed nearly a mile in tortuous streams down the 14,000-foot high mountain slopes.

Grazing land and timber were ravaged by the fiery stream as it ate its way along the ground, burning every combustible thing in its path. Ranchers were evacuating sheep and cattle from the path of the oncoming lava.

S. S. Ripley, 1408 Macdonald avenue.

H. O. Watson, 432 Mount street.

Margaret L. Cately, 4849 Cypress avenue.

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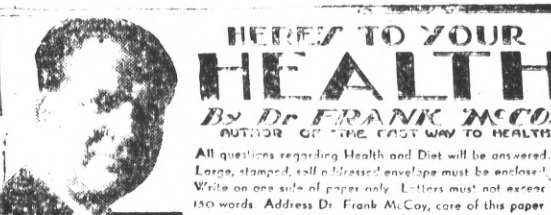
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DEFECTIVE CIRCULATION

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Some of the following unpleasant sensations are usually present with poor circulation: numbness or tingling of the hands and feet, stiffness of these members, and perhaps a sensation of weakness in the muscles of the legs. In advanced cases, the skin takes on a noticeable bluish or purplish discoloration and also appears dull and lifeless.

A healthy, active human being should experience no signs of defective circulation during cold weather or at any other time. About the only example which comes to my mind where it would be expected that the circulation would be defective during the winter would be among certain people living in Northern Siberia, who are said to have the strange habit of hibernating during the cold. The entire family stay in bed during the winter season, sleeping 22 hours out of the 24, during such a long period of rest, the circulation must become very sluggish.

An active circulation of pure blood to all parts of the body is absolutely necessary for the achievement of perfect health. Whenever a partial stoppage occurs, that part will become cold and numb. If your hands and feet are habitually cold, then you may rest assured that your circulation is poor.

Lack of exercise is the most important common cause of sluggish circulation and there is every reason to believe that the circulation is improved to a marked degree simply by vigorous exercise. The warm sensation which follows brisk exercise is a sign that the blood circulation has been speeded up. The muscular contraction which occurs during movement will squeeze the blood along and this results in a more active circulation. There are more than 500 muscles in the body, and the heart itself is composed largely of muscular fibers. Muscles are also important parts of the walls of the arteries. Without muscular action in the body, an active blood circulation as we know it, would be impossible.

When poor circulation is due to lack of exercise, the circulation will be improved more by physical culture exercises, walking, and active sports, than by any other single factor. Active exercise will immediately increase the flow of blood, and continued muscular activity will produce a permanent effect through the increased strengthening of the muscular fibers all over the body.

In attempting to improve the circulation by exercise, it is necessary to begin slowly, and this rule is very important when you are unaccustomed to taking vigorous exercise. Unquestionably, a considerable amount of good will be obtained through regular exercise, but in order to gain the greatest benefit, the exercising regimen must be suited to the strength of the patient. At the start it is best to use light calisthenics, combined with short walks. Then, additional exercises may be added gradually.

Questions and answers

(Children Will Be Normal)
Question: Miss Verdetta G. writes: "Recently I met a young man who was born a twin. His brother was normal in every way but died when he was very young. The young man of whom I am speaking was born with just one ear. My mother insists that his children can be born just as he is and also be minus other organs. He is quite a popular boy and I admire him, but am afraid to marry him unless I am sure it will be all right. I would like to hear from you as soon as possible."

Answer: It is quite unlikely that any children of the young man you inquire about will be born with abnormal ears, especially if his ancestors have not been marked in the same way. If he is normal in other ways, the inheritance from your side of the family will tend to prevent the defect from occurring again.

(Conduct After Meals)
Question: Mr. Oliver J. writes: "Please tell me what a person should do after meals, say for the first half hour. Should a person walk about, stand, sit down or lie down?"

Answer: Right after a meal it is a good plan to rest either sitting or lying down for about a half hour if you can do so; however, this is not necessary unless one eats a very large meal.

(Diverticulitis)
Question: P. G. writes: "Kindly give me some information about diverticulitis."

Answer: Diverticulitis is a condition where small pouches form along the border of the colon and become filled with hardened feces which may give rise to inflammation or abscesses. Liquid diet, manipulative treatments and the use of enemas are the most effective treatments.

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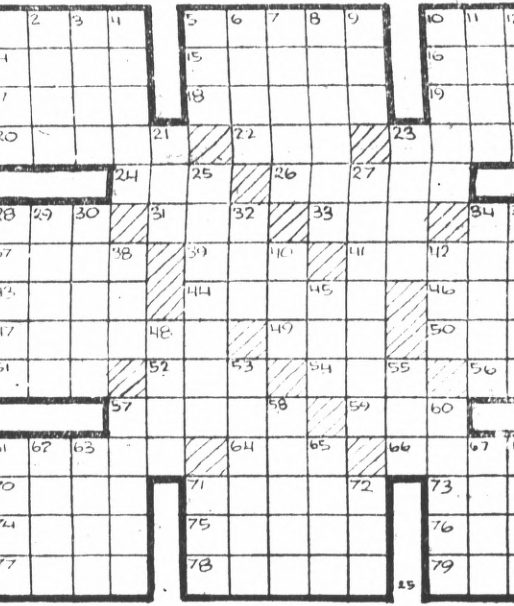
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ACROSS

1. Person who
2. Name of
3. Make hole
4. The sound
5. Straight out
6. State actively
7. Farm
8. British fortress
9. Busy insect
10. Expression of
11. Boon
12. Poet
13. Resident (adjective)
14. Show moving animal
15. Consumed
16. Intense admiral
17. Racial
18. Expression of sorrow
19. Small piece of
20. Window
21. Age
22. Sed to consumer
23. Story
24. Push back
25. Possessed with
26. Ability
27. Western state
28. First woman
29. Prayer
30. Poured
31. Vegetable
32. Food item
33. Australian city
34. Title of respect
35. Type of dwelling
36. Summit
37. French city
38. Russian city

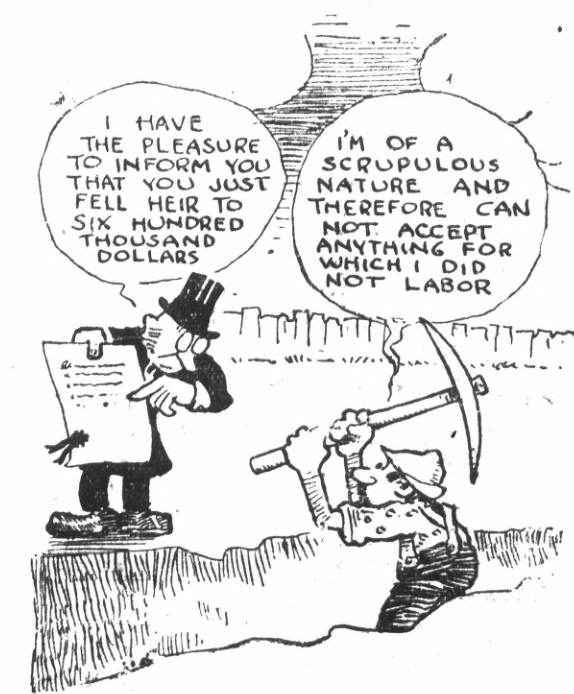
DOWN

1. Kind of tree (pl.)
2. Bare gas
3. Valley
4. Not unusual
5. Male sheep
6. Livestock
7. Arrangement of
8. These trousers
9. Dish
10. C. Mason
11. British ship
12. 175 berries
13. 16
14. British coin
15. Triangular
16. Dish
17. More active
18. Not ventilated
19. Founder of Astoria,
Oregon
20. Angel dignity
21. Child's name
22. Area of land
23. State for
24. Liberator
25. Make unbridled
26. Limit
27. Thread-cutting tool
28. Girl's name
29. Unhidden
30. Run leader
31. Bare taste
32. Name of a vegetable
33. Trust confidently
34. Refers to specifically
35. English river
36. Fool
37. Impatient
38. 1700
39. December 12th
40. Delivered
41. Patrick
42. Bird's dwelling



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SEVEN DEAD IN ACCIDENTS IN BAY AREA

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automobile carrying four men crashed into a power pole and overturned, killing one in the French hospital.

Two men and a woman were killed in the wreckage of the car because of danger of fire from a trickle of gasoline that was running toward burning power wires, according to men in the crash.

CRIME IS FOUND

The body of Mrs. Margaret Baker, 61, Alameda, was found in the waters of San Francisco bay, relatives said she had been suffering from a nervous disorder.

The body of Mrs. One Yuhon, 42, wife of a Japanese strawberry grower living near Santa Cruz, was found in the sea near Capitola. She had been despondent because of illness.

BLAST IS OPENED

The Mendocino county sheriff's office ordered the California Chemical plant closed temporarily, pending an investigation of the explosion that killed Brodie.

Windows in the city of Newark were shattered by the blast.

Brodie, a British war veteran, who won commendation for bravery in the Dardanelles campaign, is survived by a wife and three children.

Eleven men swam through heavy seas to safety when the San Domingo, grounded on the Marin coast, Coast Guard boats that went to the scene said it was doubtful if the \$60,000 craft, owned collectively by the crew, could be salvaged.

CUTTING ARGUMENT

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27. A knife battle in a local beer tavern sent two men to the South San Francisco hospital today. They are Andrew Papaleo, 39, 445 First Lane and Peter Baldocchi, 40, 721 Bacon avenue. Both suffered facial injuries. According to police, Papaleo drew a knife at the height of an argument and slashed Baldocchi across the face. He is charged with assault with a deadly weapon.

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Broom Strike



HOUSEWIVES OF Sunnyside, L. I., sweep the sidewalk in front of the Court House to demonstrate against the foreclosure sales in their district. Original idea of home owners was to reduce mortgage interest of 6 percent, but mortgage holders say they were forced to foreclose because no payments were made.

-a word in edgewise; wise and otherwise

P. R. MILNES

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their intention of the whole of the board, that may sound like an easy thing to do but personally I would not care to be a party to any such procedure. The repercussions would be too violent to be pleasant. Agree or disagree with the Towns, residents, their admitted millions of followers are a force to be reckoned with in any election. While I take little stock in their talk of a third party I would not, if a candidate, care to have their phantasies arrayed against me.

MORE TROUBLE LOOMS

More trouble looms on the horizon, if the Supreme court, in line with precedent set in its decisions on New Deal measures, deals a death blow to cases now pending before it, and on which rulings are expected the early part of January. New legislation would be necessary to replace that scrapped, which with an alert opposition, might prove very embarrassing.

EXCITEMENT TOP ALL

With such a brew who can foresee what will happen politically? One thing is certain and that is additional issues will come out of the pot and on these the election may hinge. In any event we are assured there will be no drain and present campaign and those who thirst for political excitement will get it in abundant measure.

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Some Boy



WALLY CAGLE, 550 pounds and self-conscious, forces himself to make one trip a year to the city of Boaz, Alabama, to get a pair of overalls and some heavy underwear. His visit has become such an event that this year he was greeted by a crowd of 4,000 and given the key to the city.

Posse Seeks Slayer Of 3 In Mountains

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across snow-covered hills between here and Anaconda tonight.

A day-long search of the MPI creek district near Anaconda indicated that William Henry Knight was heading for the mining city in a desperate effort to escape pursuing posse.

DRIVERS WARNED

Motorists using the Butte-Anaconda-Deer Lodge highway were warned not to pick up hitch hikers.

Knight is being sought for the slaying Christmas day of Police Officer Thomas O'Neill, and Frank Walsh, youthful grocery store clerk.

To this record has also been added another killing—that of Floyd Woods, caretaker of a ranch at Hutchins Bridge near Butte. Most

BODY IS FOUND

Woods was killed Thursday. His body was found early today lodged against a sandbar a hundred yards below the bridge. Knight apparently having thrown it in the river. He was shot through the face just under the left eye.

Officials had been searching for the caretaker since early Thursday afternoon when he and his car were reported missing and blood-stained had been found near his garage.

IS DRUG ABST

The car was found later in the MPI Creek district between Anaconda and Divide. The seat cushions and a blanket saturated with blood. The car in which Knight originally escaped from Butte was also found, about five miles from Hutchins bridge, stuck in a snow bank.

Local Scouts

Attend Meeting

Two Richmond Eagles Scouts are recovering from the effects of four days in the hands of supposed kidnappers. Young Mine and the agents were reported to have left home in an automobile. Their destination was not disclosed.

Rotary Club Has

Visit Of Officer

George W. MacLellan, of Santa Barbara, district governor of Rotary Clubs, paid his official visit to the Richmond Rotary club yesterday.

He gave an educational talk on the future of the Rotary movement.

Prior to the club meeting officers of the club met with MacLellan.

TOOK OFF 17 LBS. OF UGLY FAT

HEEDED DOCTOR'S ADVICE

Mrs. Robert Hickey, Roseville, Calif., writes: "My doctor prescribed Kruschen Salts for me—he said they wouldn't hurt me in the least. I've lost 17 lbs. in 6 weeks. Kruschen is worth its weight in gold."

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READ THE LATEST WORLD NEWS IN THE RECORD-HERALD

ITALIANS IN RETREAT AS AFRICS HIT

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retreating troops in several districts. The Italian commander, he announced today.

Some 100 Italian warriors captured a series of strategic positions which enabled the Italian army to retake a meta via Adria. In the Tiberina region, the commander added.

The retreating Italian soldiers of many cities and a number of ammunition dumps on the ground, the commander asserted. The Ethiopians also reportedly captured a machine gun.

ATTACK BEATEN BACK

DOLO, via COURIER TO MOGA

DOLO, Italian Somaliland, Dec. 27. A surprise Ethiopian attack December 21 on an Italian outpost on the Southern Front was

ruled back by seven Dabat (native sharpshooters) without loss of men.

During the two-hour battle, in which the Dabats were greatly outnumbered, six Ethiopians were killed and many more were wounded.

NINE ITALIANS KILLED

ROME, Dec. 27. UP—Nine Italian soldiers were killed and 50 more

wounded yesterday by a strong Ethiopian force in a bitter skirmish in the northern front, an official communiqué announced today.

Ethiopian losses were said to be heavy. The battle occurred in Africa on Dec. 26 in the treacherous terrain of the Takaze river sector. The

Ethiopians were repulsed, the communiqué said.

LEAGUE FACES FAILURE

PAPER, Dec. 27. UP. The League of Nations courts failure if it

attempts to interpret the covenant literally in solution of the Italo-Ethiopian conflict, Premier Pierre

Laval told the Chamber of Deputies today in a fighting defense of his peace efforts.

Since the League has lost Japan and Germany and cannot claim to enjoy a semblance of universality it should "take advantage of its present position," Laval said.

VOTE IS ASKED

The swarthy-skinned premier, a

sombre little figure in long black coat and white necktie, pleaded earnestly for a vote of confidence in his attempts to end the East African war and prevent conflagration in Europe. Tomorrow Laval will stake the life of his coalition government on a vote of support.

Politicians believe he will win by a slim margin.

The Premier's reference to the League's weakness was interpreted as his excuse for the proposal.

Laval and the ailing Sir Samuel Hoare cooked up on the historic week-end of December 7-8.

Van Swearingen will serve as president of the Richmond 20-30 Club during the ensuing year, it was announced yesterday.

Other officers are William Estment, vice president; Steve Pedrotti, secretary-treasurer; Benny Hoefler, sergeant-at-arms; and William Darford and Ben Dolores, directors.

George Johnston, retiring president, installed the new officers.

TAKEN FROM HOME

WOODSTOCK, N. Y., Dec. 27. In an unexpected move, Federal agents were reported to have taken

Cabel Mine IV away from his mother's house where he has been recovering from the effects of four days in the hands of supposed kidnappers.

Young Mine and the agents were reported to have left home in an automobile. Their destination was not disclosed.

Woman Injured In Machine Accident

Mrs. Dolores H. Patterson, 26, of San Francisco, sustained cuts, bruises and shock when she was

struck by a car driven by Joseph Ephross, 27, of 621 Macdonald ave.

Evans Funeral To Be Held On Monday

Funeral services will be held from the Wilson and Kratzer chapel at 1:30 Monday afternoon for the late David Evans, of San Pablo, who died at a local hospital on Thursday night from injuries inflicted by a mad bull.

Rev. C. Meryl Bish will officiate at the service and entombment will be in Sunset Mausoleum.

He said he had seen Miss Todd only five times since we were divorced and I don't know any more about her death than I read in the papers.

TRY A CLASSIFIED IN THE RECORD-HERALD FOR RESULTS.

Contributes



ADOLF HITLER, Nazi leader, celebrates the "Day of National Solidarity" in Berlin, Germany, by contributing to the winterhilfe fund, which is raised yearly to care for the needy during the cold winter months. The collectors taking their leader's money are members of the Berlin film actors colony.

TODD CASE PROBE MAY BE CLOSED

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in the closed grand jury session, the juror charging the investigation was a "waste of taxpayers' money."

De Cicco was slightly fired at the brisk procedure which placed him under "technical custody," the minute he got off the plane at Grand Central airport.